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Docket No. 72244-A/JPW/GJJ

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Allan Green et al.

Serial No.: 09/837,751 Examiner: E. McElwain

Filed : April 18, 2001 Group Art Unit: 1638

For : METHOD OF MODIFYING THE CONTENT OF COTTONSEED OIL

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed August 4, 2004 finally rejecting pending claims 109-146 in connection with the above-identified application.

Applicants are concurrently filing a Petition for a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the August 4, 2004 Office Action. With a three-month extension of time, a response to the August 4, 2004 Office Action is due February 4, 2005. Therefore, the subject application is pending on February 4, 2005 and this Notice of Appeal is being timely filed.

The required fee for filing a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00), and a check for this amount is enclosed.

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No fee, other than the \$500.00 fee for filing a Notice of Appeal, is deemed necessary. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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